## Honorable Steven D. Burns

**Judgeship** 1997 – present

Judge of the District Court, 3<sup>rd</sup> Judicial District

(Lancaster County)

**Experience** 1973 – 1997 Lincoln, NE

Private practice of law

Education University of Nebraska College of Law, 1973 Juris Doctorate

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1971 Bachelor of Architecture

Judicial/Law Related Activities

**Professional Affiliations** 

Nebraska State Bar Association

**Nebraska Supreme Court Committees** 

Automation Advisory Committee, 2005 - present

**Nebraska District Judges Association** 

Case Management Committee, District Court, 2009 – present

Bench Book Committee, former member, 2008

**Teaching & Publishing 2000 – present**, Design, development, & implementation of courtroom

technology improvements in Lancaster County; one of the first

judges to have court proceedings televised

Facilitator, National Judicial College, 2001

**Presenter**, District Judges Association

Creator, brochure for unrepresented litigants, approved by judges of the

3<sup>rd</sup> Judicial District